Bears Raid Union Pacific—Rest of List Holds Well G. N. SOUTHWICK

NEW YORK STOCKS WERE ERRATIC. GENERAL ACTIVITY BUT GENERALLY HIGHER. UNION PACIFIC WEAK.

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.—There were Steel to sell, another had buying orders we distinct features to the market for like amounts or even more, and the turing the morning hours, a downward list of buyers included many of the two distinct features to the market during the morning hours, a downward movement of about a point and a rally that practically extended to a more than the recovery of the! early loss, Result, a small net gain,

Temper of the Street perhaps better expressed by the weakness than the rally, and yet the unanimity with which the opinions of a reaction are expressed, makes it doubtful if there will be any material recession. The early loss actually amounted to noth-

list of bayers included many of the strongest names. Content was a seller of Steel, although this was natural, for Content was the largest buyer on the low levels of three weeks ago.

There was nothing in the news of the morning but the story of good rops, large foreign trade, and increased activate was not lower release by all Steel. large foreign trade, and increased activity even at lower prices by all Steel fabricates. The railroads seem to be tushing in their orders for equipment, tails, etc., believing, evidently, that the present is an opportune time to make contracts and take advantage of the low figures that are being made to induce trade and keep factories open. Naturally most of the activity was in ing when the recent rise is considered.

One finds little stock offered in the loan crowd, and this very fact seems to check the bear element; they cannot borrow stock at rates that are inducements to press sales, and there is such a short interest that the rebound in prices following declines is of the strongest kind.

Business was active all through the list. If one house had 25,000 shares of

RAILROADS

A. T & S. F. of. 103% 103% 103% | 103

Atlantic C Line 129 1.8% 12% | 128

Balto. & Ohio com .. 101 102% 132% / 102%

Brocklyn R T..... 78% 77% 77% 1 78 Canadian Pacific... 212% 241% 241% 1242

Ches. & Ohio 75% 75% 75% 1 75%

C. M. & St. P. comc 144 118 118 4 1 1145

Denver & R. G. com 24 24 24 1-24

Denver & R. G. pf., 49% 48% 49% 49%

Erie com...... 53% 82% 32% | 33%

N. Y., Ont. & W 41% 40% 40% 1 40%

ennsylvania 1234 1224 1234 | 1234

Reading com...... 154 162% 153 | 102%

Rock Island com 27% 27% 27% 17% 17%

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r. St. L. & W., pfd., 42% 42% 42% 1 43%

'nion Pacific, com...173% 171% 171% : 172%

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ence with John Norris, representing the

Newspaper Publishers' Association, and

said afterward that the questions of the

Forty-nine Face Death

ASTORIA, Ore., Nov. 13.-With two

nembers of the crew already washed overboard to their death, forty-seven

persons on the shipwrecked schooner Washington are facing death of Cape Disappointment today. In a howling northwest gale Govern-

Indoor ceremonies were held in All

Government Experts At

Philadelphia Meeting

Government experts from the Smith-

sonian Institution and the biological

American Ornothologists Union in Philadelphia. They expect to be gone the greater part of the week.

Ir. Charles W. Richmond represents the Smithsonian Institution. Representatives of the Department of Agriculture are H. W. Henshaw, Dr. A. K. Fisher, E. W. Nelson, E. A. Goldman, Vernon Bailey, and W. L. Mc-Atee.

Refrigerator Thief Is

Rock Island pfd.... 62 51% of 1 51

High, Low, p.m. Clos

Today's New York Stock Exchange Prices Quotations turnished by W. B. Hib's & Co., members of New York Stock Exchange Washington Stock Exchange and Chicago Board of Trade, Hibbs Rollder,

INDUSTRIALS

Amalgam Copper. 59% 58% 58% 58% 59% 69% Am. Can. com...... 12 114 12 1 12 Am. Can, pfd., 9 4 9 9 Am Car & Fy., com. 131 521 13 | 63% Am, Cotton Oil, com. 45% 43% 45% 1 45% Am. Locomo., com... 36 36 36 | 364 | Chicago & G.W com 214 21 214 | 21 Am. Sug & Ref, com1174 11 % 117 - | 1 64 Am. Tobacco, pfd.... :814 974 984 | 1814 Am. Woolen, com.... 284 184 184 2 44 Am. Woolen, pfd..... 88 87% 88 | Col. F'I & Iron, com. 284 284 284 1 Central Leather, com 24 234 234 1 2 14 Cons. Gas., N. Y 1444 141 148 1 41 Corn Prod. Ref. com. 114 114 114 114 1 General Electric 153% 153 163 Great Northern Ore. 43 43 48 1 4315 Inter. Steam Pump.. 34 334 834 1 84 Inter Harvester..... 109 10815 109 1 10816 La Irde Gas. 105% 105 105 | 105% Mackay Co.'s, com... 85 85 85 85 1 85 Natl. Biscuit, com ... 1424 140 1424 1..0 Natl. Leau, com.... 50% 50% 50% 1 5: Pac. Mail. Steam 81% 31% 81% 1 31 Peo. Gas of Ch.cago 1084 1084 1054 1 1054 Pr. Steel Car. com. 38 33 33 1 33 Rep I. & S., com.... 224 224 224 1 Rep. I. & S., pfd..... 81% 81% 81% 1 82 Tenn. Copper...... 37% 87 87 1 38 U. S. R. & I., com.... 70 70 70 169 U. S. Rub., com..... 4719 4676 47 1 467 U. S. Rub., pfd 110 110 110 1109 U. S. Steen, com..... 64% 62% 62% 1 55% U. S. Steel, pfd......110 109% 110 1110 Utah Copper 48% 47% 48 | 48% Va. Car. Chem., com 51% 61% 51% 62 W. U. Tel..... 78% 78 78 1 78% BONDS

Amer. Tobacco 4's ... 10% 10% 90% | 90% Amer. Tobacco 6's...116's 1.6% 116% 1116% B. R. T. Con. 4's :519 8519 8519 1 8519 B. & O. General 4's .. 99 99 99 1 Chi., R. 1, & P. 4's.. 74% 74% 74% 74% 74% Inter. Metro. 41/4's .. 79% 79 79 1 79 Pa. Con. 314's, 1915.. 974 97 9744 97 Southern Ry. 6's 100 108 108 1108 Union Pac. Con. 4's. 08% 103% 103% 1 108% L. S. Steel 2d 5's....102% 102% 102% 1 102%

Wholesale Produce Market

Eggs-Nearby, fresh, 32c per doz. Cheese-New York, new, 161/2171/20 per flat, 15%a16%c per 1b. Butter-Best, print, 35c per lb.; tub, 34c

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per lb.
Live Poultry—Hens, 14c per lb.; chickcns, 18a14c per lb.; smail, 14a15c per lb.;
roosters, 5c per lb.; turkeys, 18a20c per lb.;
geese, plucked, Sa10c per lb.; unplucked,
10a12c per lb.; ducks, 14a15c per lb.; keats,
yeung, 16a18c per lb.; old, 14a15c per lb.
Green Goods—Oranges, California, 45.00 to
\$5.50 per box; grapefruit, 38.00a3.50 per box;
apples, \$2 to \$4 per bbl.; potatoès, \$2.35 sack;
tomatoes, fancy, 75c per crate; celery, tancy,
60c per dox.; eggplants, \$1.50 per bbl.; kinle,
\$1.75 per bbl.; spinach, \$1.50 per bbl.; lima
beans, 25c qt.; cucumbers, 75ca\$1.00 per bu.;
basket; carrots, 40c per basket; string beans,
\$1.75 a bbl.; onions, \$1.50 sack; sweet potatoes, \$2.25 per bbl.; lemons, \$4.50a5.00 a
box; cranberries, \$1.50 per box; cauliflower,
75ca\$1 per crate.
Live Stock—daves, prime, \$a10c per lb.;
medium, \$a9 per lb.; common, \$a7c per lb.;
old sheep, \$3.00 per cwt.; lambs, prime, 6c
per lb.; medium, 5a6c. said afterward that the questions of the admission of wood pulp and print paper would be taken up at a conference between him and Secretary ! Veagh.

The Norwegian and Swedish legations also have presented the question to the State Department of the free admission of wood pulp to this country from their countries under the favored national clause of the tariff act, the Secretary said. He would not discuss the merits of either case at this time.

Entries for Tomorrow For Jamestown Races

First race—Selling, two-year-olds, five furlongs. *Bush, 105; Vespers, 107; Gift, 107; Red Jacket, 110; Dorothy, T., 107; *Orperth, 102; Dipper, 107; Promised *Orperth, 102; Dipper, 107; Promised Land, 107; *Loathly Lady, 102; Norma

Second race—Selling, two-year-olds, we and one-half furlongs. *Henotic, i *Christmas Daisy, 91; *Camellia, 104; Dockery, 107; Jawbone, 109. James Honor Joseph Belt

Third race—The Landmark Handicap, all ages, six furlongs. Cliff Edge, 108; Hilarious, 118; Onager, 109; Madman, 112; Helen Barbee, 98; Stilly Night, 108.

Fourth race—Selling: three-year-olds and up; one mile. Horace E., 108: Bran-dy, 96: Harvey F., 106: *Lord Flam, 98; *Clem Beachey, 12; *O'Em, 38; 1.im-pet, 98; *Inferno Queen, 98; Eddie Graney, 106; Woodlander, 103; *Corinth, 90; Kaufman, 100; Dissenter, 98.

Fifth race—Selling; three-year-olds; six furlongs. Edith C., 100; Fort Worth, 100; *Perthshire, 98; Patrick S., 100; Goldcap, 103; *O. U. Buster, 95; *Moncrief, 101; Double Five, 106. Sixth race—Selling; three-year-olds and un; mile and one eighth, Fair Miss, 98; *Nadzu, 105; *Servicence, 102; *Herbert Turner, 102; Agnar, 105; *My

Gal, 103.

• Apprentice allowance of five pounds

Weather, clear; track, good. First race at 2:15. Aviator Rodgers Drops

Into Plowed Field LOS ANGELES, Cal., Nov. 13 .- Cal. P. Rodgers, the aviator, who recently completed a flight from the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific, fell 100 feet into a plowed field, two miles west of Compton, half way between Los An-Reles and Long Branch.
Rodgers was brought to this city
badly bruised, but no bones were
broken. His machine was wrecked in

the fall.

Rodgers left l'aspdena early in the afternoon to fly twenty-three miles to Long Branch and when he falled to arrive at his scheduled destination it was reported that he was lost. Later came the word that he had

ON LOCAL MARKET, PRICES STRONGER

Gas, Mergenthaler, and Lanston, With Street Railways, Active.

ing a less conspicuous position, although offerings at 9.

The broadening of the market, while at the same time prices were stronger was satisfactory to brokers and foreshadows a larger business in the near

A little Capital Traction sold at 126. tailway common was in good demand t 4314, while Washington and Virginia common was very strong at 43. All reports are of a decidedly encouraging character regarding earnings.

It was in Gas and Lanston that the chief increase in trade was noted. Gas sold at 876/27%, at steady figures; Lanston started at 94 and eased off to 93%.

Mergenthaler 220.

A sale of Emerson Steam Pump was Warrants sold freely. There were one or two ten-thousand lots and there was but one price.
In the bank stock list only United States Trust at 120 and Union Trust at 142 showed.

Today's Sales On The Local Exchange

Capital Traction warrants, \$400@9, \$400@9, \$280@9, \$230@9, \$114@9, \$500@9, \$112@9, \$500@9, \$122@9, \$1,000@9, \$2,786@9, \$1,000@9, \$4,200@9, Capital Tract.on, 114126. Washington Railway and Electric. common, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¼, 50@43¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾, 20@93¾,

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. 1'4143, 256143, 25613 Union Frust, 1061142, 1067142. Emerson Steam Pump, 25712. After call—Capital Traction warrants, 14029. \$10,00029. \$10,00029. Northern Pacific 1221, 120% :21% | :21% orfolk & West 108% 108% 108% | 108%

United States Trust, 5@120.

Bid and Asked On Loca! Exchange

Wabash, pfd....... 24 23% 23% | 24 Western Md...... 58% 58 58 | 60 New York Curb Market. Reg. 3's. Coupon 3's..... Furnished to The Wassir ston Times by Harriman & Co., New York; G. B. Chipman manager local branch Colorade Rulings. Washington Gas 5's 1101/2 1101/2 Georgetown Gas 5's..... RAILR AL BONDS To Confer on Pulp Secretary Knox today had a confer-

Riggs Realty 5's....... 103 N. & W. Steamboat 5's...... 103% PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS. *Capital Traction 125
Wash. Ry. & Elec. com 43
Wash. Ry. & Elec. pfd 88½
Wash. Va. Ry. com 44
Wash. Va. Ry. pf. 64
N. & W. Steamboat 212
Washington Gas 86½
Georgetown Gas 75
Amer. Tel. & Telga 129
G. F. & Old Dominion, 50
TYPE MACHINE STOCKS

Mergenthaler Linotype 22814 Mergenthaler Linotype 9245 Lanston Monotype MINING STOCK. In Wreck of Schooner Greene Cananea 71%

NATIONAL BANK STOCKS. Commercial National Bank. 196 District Nat. Bank. 133 Far. & Mech. Nat. Bank. 270 Idncoln National Bank.

ment lifesavers from Astoria have been working unsuccessfully for nine hours trying to get a life line to the steamer. TRUST COMPANY STOCKS. Amer, Sec. & Trust...... 285 National Sav. & Trust...... 230 In Memorial Unveiling BAVINGS BANK STOCKS. Saints' Episcopal Church, Chevy Chase, yesterday afternoon, for the Union Savings 237 unveiling of the memorial to Col.

Joseph Belt, the steady downpour of rain preventing the outdoor exercises. The services in the church were conducted by the Rev. Roland Cotton Smith, paster of St. John's Church. Caleb Clarke Magnuder, historian of the Society of Colonial Wars, which erected the monument to Colonel Belt, delivered the principal address. Provident Savings Bank FIRE INSURANCE STOCKS.

Arlington Fire Insurance... 15½
Corcoran Fire Insurance... 20
Firemen's Insurance... 20
Frankiin Fire Insurance... 25
Ger. Amer. Fire Ins... 260
National Union Fire Ins... 8½
Potomac Fire Insurance... 34 TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS. Columbia Title Insurance.... 4 Real Estate Title Ins...... 90 MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. Chapin-Sacks ... Emerson Steam Pump...... 11 sonian Institution and the biological Graphophone com. 5 graphophone com. 5 ture, are in attendance today at the American Ornothologists Union in Philadelphia. They expect to be gone Washington Market. 17

Chicago Grain Market.

Corn— December...... 62 May 64 63 64¹/₄

New York Cotton Market.

Busy In Northwest Following the report that a thicf had Furnished to The Washington Times by rifled the ice box at the Washington A. G. Plant & Co., 1415 G street northwest. Foundling Asylum, 1715 Fifteenth street, o Long Branch and when he falled to trive at his scheduled destination it was reported that he was lost.

Later came the word that he had been injured and then he was brought to the Second precinct today that provise the Second precinct today the Second precinct to

ROCK CREEK DRIVE

Will Erect Residence In Massachusetts Avenue Heights.

Former Congressman George N. Southwick, of Albany, N. Y., has purchased a plot of ground containing 20,000 square feet on Rock Creek Drive, just off Massachusetts, avenue, in Mass-There was a good general business on achusetts Avenue Heights, and will the Stock Exchange, warrants occupy- erect a residence upon the property. The sale was made through the office they were active to the extent of the of Thomas J. Fisher & Co., in connection with William F. Matteson, The plot is one of the best sites in the sub-uivision and it is understood that Mr. Southwick contemplates the construc-tion of an elaborate residence.

Buys Woodley Residence. R. B. H. Lyon has purchased one of

the ten-room dwellings recently built Twenty-seventh street, Woodley k, by George C. Pumphrey, for 0. The sale was made through the of Shannon & Luchs. Buys Two Lots.

Edward McAleer has purchased from Stanley S. Wait two lots on the north side of Delafield street, midway between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, in Saul's Addition. The property has a frontage of eighty feet and a depth of ninety feet.

Real Estate Transfers.

1613 Church street northwest-Richard S Smith to Gertrude F. Smith, one-fith in terest in lot 77, square 180, \$10. Kenliworth—Bernard G. Brown et ux, to Zenus C. Bundy, lot 91. square 5155, \$10. Hilbrook—Thomas F. Scrivener to Sarah A. Berivener, lot 27. square 5053, \$10. Bioomingdale—Mary J. Leesnitzer to Isabel B., Minnie E., and Josephine Leesnitzer, lot 73, block 9, \$10.

B., Minnie E., and Josephine Lecsnitzer, lot 78, block 5, \$10.

East Deanwood—George A. Reader et ux. to Charles A. Baker, lots 11 and 12, block 17, \$10. William A. Young et ux. to same, lot 30, block 13, \$10.

Whittingham—Jessle Bumbry to Nellie Campbell, lot 62, square 5157, \$10.

Whitney Close—Edith H. Gottwals to Charles W. and Sarah F. Wood, lot 67, block 2, \$10.

Seventh and M streets northeast—Jerry J. Dugan et ux. to Oliver P. M. Brown, lot 6, square north of 855, \$10.

Thirty-third street and Lent place northwest—Elizabeth M. Allen to Pearl G. Selby, part lot 221, square 1290, \$10. Pearl G. Selby conveys same property to Walter T. Austin, \$10.

Eckington—Walter T. Austin et ux. to George Y. Worthington and George Y. Worthington, jr., lot 27 and part lot 28, block 17, \$10. Girls Portion—Abner C. P. Shoemaker et ux. to Marle F. Gardner, part, \$10.

Private Property Not **Future Dumping Ground**

Steps were taken by the Commissioners today to prevent the use of private property along Rock Creek as a dumping ground. Following an investigation ordered by Capt. F. M. Markham, Assistant Engineer Commissioner; Inspector L. P. B. adshaw reported that dumptor L. P. B. adshaw reported that dumping is confined to private property, and
directed attention to the law governing
the case, which provides "that it shall
not be iswful to deposit material of any
kind in any place on the bank of any
navigable water or on the bank of any
tributary of any navigable water, where
the same shall be liable to be washed
into such navigable water, either by
high tide or by storm or flood."
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On recommendation of Captain Mark-ham, the Commissioners forwarded the report to Col. W. C. Langfitt, Corps of Engineers, in charge of Potomac river improvements, it being Captain Mark-ham's opinion that Colonel Langfitt can

Alleged Murderesses Defy Third Degree

CHICAGO, Nov. 13 .- Mrs. Louisa Vermilya, charged with one murder and suspected of nine others, and Mrs. Jane McDonald-Thorpe-Quinn, held for the murder of her third husband and suspected of at least two other murders, are declared by the police to be the two most remarkable prisoners they have ever had in custody.

Although each has been told repeatedly of steps in the weaving of strong nets of circumstantial evidence which threaten to stamp them as arch-mur-deresses of unusual degree, and send them to death upon the gallows, each continues to faintain a stolid attitude which have broken the spirits and brought confessions from strong men. The police are piling up new eviden

Church Society Will Present Play Tonight

The autumn play of the St. Mark's Church Dramatic Society will be presented this evening in the old Masonic Temple, Ninth and F streets, at 8:15 A Western farce staged in a Fifth avenue drawing room, will be presented. It is entitled "A Box of Monkeys." The production will be under the di-rection of Miss Isabelle Stockette. It contains a number of well-known Washcontains a number of well-known Washington amateurs, among whom are Miss Miriam Kramer, Miss Mabelle Peck as "Sierra" and "Gwendolyn," and Miss Bessie Bauer as "Miss Ondego Jhones." The role of the bashful English mine owner is assumed by Albert Franklin Fessenden, while "Edward Ralston, the cowboy in evening clothes," will be acted by Edwin Tyler.

Arthur Bauer is the business manager, and Woodel Fraser stage director.

Funeral Tomorrow of Washington Pioneer

Funeral services for Columbus Hill. ifelong resident of Washington, who during the civil war answered the call of President Lincoln as one of the dofenders of Washington, will be held at his residence, 1011 Twelfth street northwest, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. J. E. Ewell, pastor of the Episcopal Church of the Ascension, where Mr. Hill was a member, officiat-Episcopal Church of the Ascension, where Mr. Hill was a member, officiat-ing. Interment will be in Congressional

emetery.
Mrs. Hill, who is now in England
Mrs. Hill, who is now in England does not know of her husband's death,
a by a letter having been sent to her yeswest terday. Mr. Hill was seventy-two years
1:15. old, and had spent his entire life in
92% the District, for many years having
99% been engaged in business here.

Nonagenarian Orders Octogenarian Arrested

Many Anderson, eighty-five years old. was arrested by police of the Third precinct this afternoon and sent to the House of Detention, on a charge of assault preferred by her aunt, Eme-line Green, ninety-five years old, Both

THE TIMES DAILY SERIAL STORY

BUYS BIG PLOT ON PIZARRO

By J. AUBREY TYSON

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CHAPTER III (Continued). TEVER before had the much

traveled Sparhawk seen such lofty precipices; never before had he realized what feelhad he realized what feelings of awe may be inspired by great silences. Black as the waters of the fabied Styx, the Iquiquil made its way through narrow canyons so deep that as the Americans looked at the bine ribbon of sky above them, they feit like subterranean voyagers.

"And we've got to build a railroad through this range, Jim," muttered Hadley, turning to Sparhawk as they were passing through one of these great canyons.

Sparnawk shook his head.

"We'll have a hard job of it if this is a fair sample of Quincatan river valleys, he answered. "This river course is nothing more than a hoie in the greatest wall ever reared by nature. How the devil did the stream ever force its way through?"

When they crept out of the canyons, they found themserves in great valleys whose boulder-strewn bottoms were shadowed by jagged, snow-clad peaks and frowning, precipitous mountainsides. The next morning found them on the Durango river. By noon, they were among the cordilieras, and by 5 o'clock they were within sight of Valo, their destination.

With the great slopes of the Sierra Planca as a background, and the broad sheen of Lake Callstar before it, the city of Valo presented a picturesque appearance as the steamboat approached it. Being within the earthquake region, most of the buildings were rudely constructed of wood and mud, over which were spread coatings of plaster and the public huidings were hullt of adobe. ings of awe may be inspired by great

paint.

The more pretentious dwellings and the public buildings were built of adobe. Nearly all were only one story in height. The streets were broad and from a distance the foliage of the trees which shaded them gave to the town a parklike appearance which speedlily vanished when the visitor stepped ashere and saw the broken, littered pavements and dilapidated character of many of the houses.

pavements and dilapidated character of many of the houses.

That the Americans were expected was soon made apparent by the action of a short, slender man who met them as they landed on the quay. Speaking Spanish, he asked for Sparhawk. He then informed the latter that he was Jose Gomarra, secretary to Don Antonio Portilla, governor of the Valo district and vice president of the Calistar

tonio Portilla, governor of the Valo dis-trict and vice president of the Calistar Raliroad Company.

Gomarra explained that as the gover-nor was giving a ball at his residence in the evening, it would be impossible for him to receive Sparhawk until 3 o'clock on the following afternoon. He sent his compliments, however, and of-fered the services of his secretary, who was prepared to conduct the American engineer to a house that had been assigned to his use. Thanking the governor's representa-

tive for the message he brought, Spar-hawk promptly accepted his services as guide. Two tarnished carriages, drawn guide. Two tarnished carriages, drawn by mules, were then brought into requisition, and a few minutes later Sparhawk and his party, accompanied by Gomarra, alighted in front of a white stuccoed building, two stories in height and about 150 feet square. In the center of this was a gateway through which the party passed into a courtyard. At the farther end of the courtyard of steps rose to a landing from flight of steps rose to a landing from which two stairways led to open gal-leries on the right and left of the court.

From these balconies doors opened into various apartments.

Doors on the ground floor opened from the court into the stable, carriage-house, kitchen, and servants quarters—all under one roof. Around the courtyard were ranged numerous pots and tubs containing plants. The prevalent odor of the place, however, emanated from the stable.

"Your quarters, senor," explained Gomarra.
Without waiting for the reply that Sparhawk was attempting to formulate Gomarra turned abruptly, and, in a loud voice, called:
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From a neighboring table came a

The word had scarcely left his lips when a strange-looking figure appeared when a strange-looking figure appeared at one of the doors that opened into the courtyard. It was the figure of a man, about five feet two inches in height, deep-chested and stockily built, with arms so long that they seemed to be out of all proportion to his short, muscular legs.

His face was large and heavy, his mouth was wide and his brow was high and broad. His eyes were black and piercing, and his long, straight, black hair and bronze-hued skin were those of an Indian.

those of an Indian. His shoulders were so high that Spar-hawk was led to believe that the green, yellow and red shawl he wore over his yellow and red shawl he wore over his short canvas jacket, concealed a hump behind, but subsequently he learned that he was wrong. Besides the articles mentioned, the man wore a low-crowned and rather broad-brimmed hat, a yellow shirt, a pair of loose trousers that extended only a few inches below

that extended only a few inches below the knees, brown stockings and a pair of heavy shoes.

Gomarra turned again to Sparhawk.

"Senor, I have taken the liberty of installing Mayta as your porter and hostler until you have an opportunity to find a better," he said. "He is fifty years old, and I might have given you a younger man, but his wife, Madalena, is a good cook, and his daughter, Chiquita, is an active wench to whom the service of your meals, the washing of your clothes, and the care of your

apartment may be safely intrusted."

"I thank you, senor," said Sparhawk. Gomarra elevated his brows and his shoulders; then, again addressing the Indian, he said:

"Mayta, this is your master. Obey his orders."

A guitural sound issued from the Indian's lips. The expression of his face did not change.

"Senors, I will leave you now," Gomarra went on, "You will hear from his excellency, Don Antonio, tomorrow. Until then, senors—"

He removed his hat and bowed to each of the Americans in turn.

"Until tomorrow," said Sparhawk; bowing gravely.

A moment later Jose Gomarra was gone, leaving a distinctly unfavorable impression behind him.

Sparhawk and Handley were familiar with the idiosyncras'es of Spanish character, and in the attitude of the governor's representative they perceived something that caused them to suspect that the man whom Quexores had said had traveled so many thousand miles to see in New York really was rot a jerson of much consequence in Valo. In their intercourse with their enuls and superiors the Sparish are second to none in punctiliousness.

But though the words of Gomarra and superiors the Sparish are second to none in punctiliousness.

But though the words of Gomarra were respectful enough, his manner certainly was not, in any sense punctilious. He had an air of preoccupation, and his words were rather too curtly spoken. If the screenry held the Americans in the scant respect what were

cans in such scart ary held the Americans in such scant respect, what was likely to be the strictude of his entributer?

"Well, Jim, what do you make of it?" asked Handley.

Sparhawk, who had been looking speculatively after the retreating secretary, did not answer at once. Handley watched him courseled.

did not answer at once. Handley watched him quizzically.

I den't know just what to make of it, Will," said Sparhawk moodily. "Being in Spacish America, we are among the builders of castles in Spain. We are in the land of the great mananathe land of temerrow. We may be able to make more of it—tomorrow."

CHAPTER IV.

The City of Nowhere. UIDED by Mayta, the Indian, Sparhawk and his companions proceeded to explore the building that had been appropriated their use. The lower floor consisted of stable, carriage house, storerooms, kitchen, servants' quarters, and laundry-

room. On the second were a drawing room, dining room, music room, and five sleeping apartments.

The furniture was tawdry, the wall-paper was cracked and discolored, some of the rugs were almost threadbare, and not a few of the chairs and tables were was not one who would not have preferred a camp among the mountains.

All were hungry, and a savory dinner was soon prepared. When this was finished, Sam Young returned to the waterside to effect the removal of the "Skate" from the wharf to the unoccupied carriage house on the floor below. This and the party impedimenta soon arrived and were stowed away.

Accompanied by Handley, Sparhawk set off in search of a telegraph office, in order that he might notify Varley, in San Felicidad, of his safe arrival in Valo. In the course of their wanderings, they came at length to the Posada de San Fernando, which, as they had been informed, was the only first-class hotel in the town. been informed, was the only first-class hotel in the town.

Entering the hotel, they made their way to the cafe and seated themselves at one of the tables. When the walter had placed two glasses and a bottle of Peruvian wine before them, Sparhawk asked the man to direct him to the telegraph office.

The man shrugged his shoulders slightly as he answered:

slightly as he answered: "There is no telegraph office in Valo,

hawk extrained formed—"
From a neighboring table came a quiet voice, speaking in English
"All information concerning Valo is misleading, senor, unless it is obtained misleading, senor, unless it is obtained n Valo itself." Turning quickly, Sparhawk saw that

Turning quickly, Sparhawk saw that the sneaker was a short, compactly built man of about thirty years of age, with a pale, clean-shaven face and shrewd, laughing eves. With him at the table sat a man who might have been anywhere between forty and sixty. His curly hair was as white as the Andes snows. One of his eyes was gone and his face was so disfigured with deep scars that it inspired with horror all who looked upon it for the first time. His mouth was drawn to the left side of his face; his hands were distorted and his fingers were without nails.

For a moment the hideous face of the and his fingers were without nails.

For a moment the hideous face of the unfortunate stranger held Sparhawk's saze; then he turned again to the smiling man who had addressed him.

"But surely a town of this size has some communication with the outside world other than that afforded by the postal service," the American replied.

"It is not blessed with even a postal service," said the still smiling stranger. Both Americans quickly looked interrogatively toward the man with the disfigured face.

"Senor Heredia speaks truly." the other said, with a peculiar lisp that intensified the mingled sensations of horror and pity inspired by the distorted face. "There is neither telegraph nor postal service for the city of Valo."
"Are we to understand, then that

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Valo is purposely isolated from the outside world?" issked Sparhawk
It was Heredia who answered him.
"By the grace of those who rule it.
Valo has a place on the map of Quincatan," he said. "But of the city itself the world has no real knowledge and can obtain none.

"The Valo whose name you have seen on the map, and of which you have heard men speak, does not exist. The real Valo is the City of Nowhere."

There was a pause, then Sparhawk asked the two strangers to join him and his companion at their table. The invitation was promptly and graciously accepted, and Hanaley ordered another bottle of Peruvian wine to be set before them.

bottle of Peruvian wine to be set before them.

"From what you have said gentlemen, I inter that the inhabitants of Valo are virtually prisoners," said Sparhawk.

"Only a small portion of the inhabitants may be classed as anything but prisoners," Heredia replied, "With the exception of about 40 persons, the 2,000 white inhabitants are little better than captives in a conquered city, and most of the 10,000 mestizos—part Spanish and part Coshan—are little better off.

"As a result of an alliance of the interests of our governor, Don Antonio Portilla, and the chief of the Coshans, the governor commands the city and the Indians control the district. All work in harmony. Both sides are agreed that no person or message shall leave Valo without the sanction of the governor.

governor.

"No white man has thus far attempts ed to penetrate the cordillera without Indian guidance. Capture by the Coshans means Jeath in one of the many horrible forms that only a Coshan cat. devise."

Continuation of This Story Will Be Found in Tomorrow's Issue of The Times. Rites Conducted For Frank Ormsby, Artist

Ormsby, well-known artist, who died Funeral ceremonies for Frank were held this morning at the residence, 1328 Eighth street northwest, at 9 clock, the Rev. E. J. Connolly officiato'clock, the Rev. E. J. Connolly officiating. The body was then taken to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, where the Rev. Father Connolly celebrated requiem mass at 9:30 o clock. The staff of the art department of The Washington Times, where Mr. Ormsby had been employed for two years, were present and acted as pallbearers. Interment was in Mt. Olivet Cemetery.

Mr. Ormsby had been a resident of Washington for fourteen years, coming

Mr. Ormsby had been a reasoning from Rochester, N. Y., where he had been engaged as an engraver and newspaper artist. For two years he had been engaged in a business of his own

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